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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: NKOMO TRAVEL TO RHODESIA

1. WE HAVE REPORT THAT NKOMO MAY BE RETURNING TO RHODESIA 23  
SEPT AND PROBABLY GIVE A MAJOR SPEECH AT BULAWAYO.

2. RHODESIANS HAVE TRIED TO DISCOURAGE THIS THROUGH ZAMBIA  
GOVERNMENT BUT HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO REACH APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES  
DUE TO THE PARTY CONGRESS. YOU SHOULD TRY TO DO EVERYTHING YOU  
CAN TO GET THROUGH TO CHONA OR OTHER SUITABLE OFFICIAL WITH  
OUR RECOMMENDATION AS FOLLOWS. SINCE WE DO NOT WISH ANYTHING  
TO DISTURB THE POSSIBILITY THAT SMITH WILL MAKE THE STATEMENT  
WE EXPECT FROM HIM FRIDAY NIGHT WE THINK IT WOULD BE BETTER IF NKOMO  
DELAYED HIS RETURN UNTIL ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE.  
KISSINGER

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